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SUBJECT: MEDICAL APPOINTMENT FOR EX-PRESIDENT YDIGORAS

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO DR. DREMENTZ
FROM DR. E. CROFT LONG AID:

1. "DR. EDWARD KREMENTZ, DEPARTMENT SURGERY,
TULANE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, 1430 TULANE
AVENUE, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA 70112.
2. "US EMBASSY GUATEMALA REQUESTED ASSIST FORMER
PRESIDENT OF GUATEMALA MIGUEL YDIGORAS FUENTES
OBTAIN SURGICAL CONSULTATION HOSPITALIZATION IN US.
3. "YDIGORAS 82 YEARS OLD ACCIDENTLLY SHOT HIMSELF
IN LEFT THIGH ON AUGUST 9. THIRTY-EIGHT BULLET
PASSED THROUGH FASCIAL PLANES AND INFLECTED NO
DEMONSTRABLE DAMAGE TO BONE OR NERVES.
MINIMAL VASCULAR DAMAGE. HAS APPARENTLY
BEEN COMPETENTLY TREATED IN GUAMTEMALA, WOUND
HEALING UNEVENTFULLY. HAS LIMITED MOBILITY
IN WHEEL CHAIR. GENERAL HEALTH EXCELLENT.
- 4 "HE REQUESTS US SURGICAL CONSULTATION FOR
REASSURANCE AND RECOMMENDATIONS. PLEASE
ADVISE WHETHER HE CAN BE ADMITTED ON OR ABOUT
SEPT 7 AS PRIVATE PATIENT YOU SERVICE. NOTES

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AND RADIOGRAPHS WILL ACCOMPANY. HE REQUESTS

GUATEMALAN CONSULATE NEW ORLEANS SHOULD NOT
REPEAT NOT BE NOTIFIED."
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